

PHYSICAL THERAPY RENEWAL

Online Renewal begins January 5, 2009

Renewal fee is \$100

The preferred method to renew your PT or PTA credential is online renewal, but there are other ways to renew:

1. Online – fast, easy, change address and worksite –be sure and print your receipt for online renewal
2. Printing a renewal form from our website and mailing to the Board
3. If you do not have access to webpage, contact the Board office
4. If you aren't renewing, FAX or email the Board office at (502) 429-7142 and let us know.

If you have questions, email KYBPT@ky.gov or call (502) 429-7140.

If you have not completed the MANDATORY Open Book Exam (JE), take it online at <https://secure.kentucky.gov/pt/jurisprudence>

All credentials expire March 31, 2009 if not renewed!

All Continued Competency Credit must be earned from April 1, 2007 through March 31, 2009.

Physical Therapists – 30 hours of Continued Competency Credits (including the 2 hour Jurisprudence Exam)

Physical Therapist Assistants – 20 hours of Continued Competency Credits (including the 2 hour Jurisprudence Exam)

If you have not completed the continued competency requirements, the following exemptions may apply in **201 KAR 22:045 Section 2:**

(Exemption form is located at <http://pt.ky.gov> under Continued Competency.)

(5) Exemption and extension.

(a) A licensee may be granted a temporary hardship exemption for an extension of time, not to exceed one (1) renewal cycle, if the licensee:

- 1. Files a completed Extension of Time for Completion of Continuing Competency Form; and*
- 2. Submits documentation showing evidence of undue hardship by reason of the licensee's:*
 - a. Age*
 - b. Disability*
 - c. Medical condition;*
 - d. Financial condition; or*
 - e. Other clearly mitigating circumstance.*

(b) A licensee may be granted a temporary nonhardship extension of time if the licensee cannot show undue hardship and if the licensee:

- 1. Files a completed Extension of Time for Completion of Continuing Competency Form by March 31 of the odd-numbered year in the renewal cycle for which the extension is sought;*
- 2. Pays a fee of \$250;*
- 3. Has not received a temporary nonhardship extension of time in the prior renewal cycle; and*
- 4. Files proof of compliance with the continuing competency requirements by the following July 1.*